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(57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To improve the convenience of an electronic money system.

SOLUTION: A POS terminal includes a control part 101, an input part 103, a card input/output part 104 which performs the input/output of data to an electronic money card, an output part 105 which performs the display of data, etc., and a storage part 106 which stores the information on a transaction details file 161, a commodity management file 162, a store management file 163, etc. The part 101 contains the control logic having a function to write the payment of an electronic money card or the commodity purchase data on the owners of cards other than the electronic money card into the electronic money card that is loaded into the part 104 and also a function to reads the commodity purchase data. The commodity purchase data written into the electronic money card are occasionally refereed to by an information terminal of a balance display, a personal computer, etc., of a card owner and used for making the plans of the commodity purchase, the commodity purchase management, etc.

